

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

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DARRYL ORRIN BAKER,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	Civil Action No. 05-147E
	)	
v.	)	Magistrate Judge Baxter
	)	
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	(Electronic Filing)
et al.	)	
Defendants.	)	

**PART 1: CONSENT TO JURISDICTION BY  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE**

In accordance with the provisions of Section 636(c)(1) of Title 28, United States Code, the undersigned (counsel of record for the United States of America) in the above-captioned civil matter hereby voluntarily consents to have a United States Magistrate Judge conduct any and all further proceedings in the case, including trial and entry of a final judgment, with direct review by the United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit if any appeal is filed.

Date: July 15, 2008 /s/ Paul E. Skirtich  
Signature

Print Name: Paul E. Skirtich  
PA ID No. 30440

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**PART 2: DISTRICT JUDGE OPTION**

Pursuant to Section 636(c)(2) of Title 28, United States Code, the undersigned (party) (counsel of record for \_\_\_\_\_) in the above-captioned civil matter acknowledges the availability of a United States Magistrate Judge but elects to have this case randomly assigned to a United States District Judge.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_